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Applicant:

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Title:

METHOD OF TESTING
COMPOUNDS FOR
REGULATION OF
TRANSCRIPTION OF

PEROXISOME PROLIFERATOR
ACTIVATED RECEPTORGAMMA (as amended)

Appl. No.:

09/155,252

Appl. Filing Date:

09/21/1998

Examiner:

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Box RCE Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

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